



350 FIFTH AVENUE
NEW YORK 1, N. Y.

THE NEW YORK CITY DIRECTOR
OF
SELECTIVE SERVICE

March 28, 1951

Allen W. Dulles, Esq.
Office of Central Intelligence Agency
2430 E Street, N.W.
Washington 25, D. C.

STAT

Dear Allen:

This letter will be presented to you by
about whom I spoke to you when you were in New York on
Sunday.

STAT has filed the usual lengthy applications with
your agency but has not yet received any reaction. I
am therefore presuming upon your kindness to see whether
it would not be possible for you to see him and look his
file over. To my way of thinking, he could well be very
useful. He is earnest, hard working, intelligent, and
certainly anxious to be doing something worth while.

I know him and I know his mother and his step-father
who live in Sarasota, Florida. If you could find a
place for him, I know that it would gratify an ambition
which he cherishes more than probably you and I could
realize.

With kindest regards, I am

Yours very sincerely,

A handwritten signature in dark ink, appearing to read "Candler Cobb", with a stylized flourish at the end.

Candler Cobb

Came to see Mr. Dulles on

March 28, 1951

Allen W. Dulles, Esq.
Office of Central Intelligence Agency
2430 E Street, N.W.
Washington 25, D. C.

Dear Allen:

This letter will be presented to you by [redacted] about whom I spoke to you when you were in New York on Sunday.

STAT

STAT

[redacted] has filed the usual lengthy applications with your agency but has not yet received any reaction. I am therefore presuming upon your kindness to see whether it would not be possible for you to see him and look his file over. To my way of thinking, he could well be very useful. He is earnest, hard working, intelligent, and certainly anxious to be doing something worth while.

I know him and I know his mother and his step-father who live in Sarasota, Florida. If you could find a place for him, I know that it would gratify an ambition which he cherishes more than probably you and I could realize.

With kindest regards, I am

Yours very sincerely,

Candler Cobb

29 March 1951

Colonel Candler Cobb
Director of Selective Service
350 Fifth Avenue
New York 1, New York

Dear Candler:

STAT [] stopped in to see me this morning.
STAT [] Unfortunately, I was unable to see him myself but [] STAT
[], who is working in my office, talked to him.

His application to the agency was filed on
6 March 1951 and there has been insufficient time to
determine whether or not his services can be profitably
used. I have urged our personnel people to look into
his qualifications and to notify [] whether there
is a vacancy for him. STAT

With kindest regards,

Sincerely yours,

Allen W. Dulles
Deputy Director

JRH/nf

Distribution:

Addressee - 1 original

DD/P chrono - 1 cc

Applicant's file - 1 cc ✓

STAT [] - Personnel - 1 cc

Suspense file - 1 cc 4/20/51

Allen W. Ducees, Esq

C.I.A.

2430 E St.

Washington D.C.

ILLEGIB Approved For Release 2003/07/30 : CIA-RDP80R01731R003100130082-8

Approved For Release 2003/07/30 : CIA-RDP80R01731R003100130082-8